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Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: H. SATO et al (see attached)

For:

OPTOELECTRONIC WAVEGUIDING DEVICE, STRUCTURAL BODY INCLUDING THE SAME, AND OPTICAL MODULE

## Enclosed are: X Sheets of Drawings This application is being filed without an executed Declaration. Priority is claimed from Japanese Application No. 2002-247967 A certified copy is attached herewith. filed August 28, 2002 Copies of the disclosure documents listed on the attached PTO 1449 form and discussed in the specification or attached Information Disclosure Statement. A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27. Specification: Abstract X, Description 18 pages; and 8 claim(s). Preliminary Amendment. Executed Declaration. The filing fee is calculated as shown below: Small Entity Large Entity For: No. Filed No. Extra OR Rate Fee Basic Fee \$ 750 **Total Claims** 8 -20 = 0 0 x 18 3 - 3 =0 Indep Claims 0 84 Multiple Dependent Claim (s)

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